

From the New York American.  
**LOCO-FOCOISM.**  
OFFICIAL ANNUNCIATION AT TAMMANY HALL OF THE PRINCIPLES OF THE PARTY.  
It is well known to the people of the United States that the whig press has uniformly imputed to the leaders of the loco-foco party in this city, principles which went to the total destruction of all the rights of property, and all the social ties of life. This charge has not been made without foundation, nor has any statement ever appeared which was not based upon satisfactory evidence. In justice also to Tammany Hall, it ought to be said that, while the adherents of Mr. Van Buren in the country have, to some extent, disclaimed the revolutionizing and demolishing doctrines set forth by the President's special counsellors and advisers in the city, the latter have never officially disclaimed even the worst features of the charge. Recently, however, in order to show that they only do not fear to proclaim such doctrines, they officially publish them to the world—in their organs in this city—as the very grounds on which they hope to succeed. A meeting was held at Tammany Hall recently, at which John W. Harbenbrook presided as chairman, assisted by thirty-one Vice Presidents and eight Secretaries, the official proceedings of which the Evening Post sanctions in the following language:  
"We publish the excellent address and resolutions adopted on that occasion."  
The address here spoken of contains the following extraordinary paragraphs:  
"Nor has our country any reason to fear social disorder. ANARCHY is BUT A STATE OF TRANSITION. It cannot exist as a permanent condition of things. The very nature of man renders social order inevitable. Even temporary confusion can occur only as a consequence to a previous infringement of the true principles of society. All the laws of nature harmonize, and it is only when some of them are violated that convulsion ensues. If human regulations did not produce artificial and unjust distributions of property, a state of things could never exist in which property would be endangered. Where the avaricious few have so controlled legislation as to concentrate and perpetuate property in themselves, it is natural that they should seek to exclude from political power all who have no 'stake in society,' and that they should regard the plundered masses as hostile to such 'rights of property' and such a 'social order.' It is natural that they should distrust all whose sense of justice is not subdued by a participation in the spoil, and that they should tremble for their iniquitous possessions and the system which upholds them. But where society is constructed on just principles, such apprehensions are visionary and absurd. Convulsion is the struggle of nature with disease in the body politic, and can never occur when the system is in health."  
Here we have, then, an official avowal that "anarchy is but a state of transition"—that "even temporary confusion can only occur as a consequence to a previous infringement of the true principles of society"—and "if human regulations did not produce artificial and unjust distributions of property a state of things could never exist in which property would be endangered." In other words, that the present laws are all wrong—that society is based on improper foundations—and that the object of party is to subvert both. In short, we have here the official avowal of all that the whigs have ever charged upon the loco-focos, in its full length and breadth. The following resolution was passed at the same meeting:  
"Resolved, That the address and proceedings of this meeting be published in the Evening Post, New Era, Truth Teller, and German paper; and that the Albany Argus and Washington Globe be requested to copy the same."  
Accordingly, the sentiments in the above quotation appeared in the Globe, duly and officially sanctioned by that paper, as the organ of the Government of the United States.  
From the Natchez Courier.  
**IMPORTANT FROM VERA CRUZ.**  
FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.  
New Orleans, Dec. 7th.  
I have only time to inform you that the French Steamship of war *Meteor*, 60 days from Vera Cruz, brings intelligence that the CASTLE OF ST. JOHN D'ULLOA WAS CAPTURED BY THE FRENCH SQUADRON after a bombardment of 4 hours duration—Only 4 killed and 30 wounded of the French: 300 to 400 Mexicans were killed and buried in the ruins. The Castle is destroyed and the Port of Vera Cruz is now declared free for the entry of all vessels. A French Courier charged, it is said, with important despatches, hurried on to Washington City this morning.  
In much haste,  
Yours,  
**New Advertisements.**  
**NOTICE.**  
THE Board of Directors of the Amite and Florida Auxiliary Bible Society are requested to meet at Unity Church, on the 1st day of January, 1839, to receive and act on the report of the distributing agent. Meeting to take place at 11 o'clock, A. M.  
JAMES SMYLIE, Pres't.  
December 15, 1838. 51w2

**FASHIONABLE TAILORING.**  
GEORGE W. SHURRAGAR most respectfully informs the inhabitants of Liberty and its vicinity, that he has a supply of Journeymen, and can execute all orders in his line of business with neatness and despatch, having just received the latest fashions, and will continue to receive them regularly. From his punctuality and attention to business, he wishes to receive a share of public patronage.  
Ladies' palises, habits, and youths' dresses, made in the most approved style.  
December 20, 1838. 51w1  
**TO TAX-PAYERS.**  
MR. SAMUEL TILLOTSON is authorized by me to receive and receipt for TAXES. Persons who may have business in Liberty, will find it convenient to pay their taxes to Mr. Tillotson, and are earnestly requested to do so, or be prepared to settle with me when called on.  
W. A. JACKSON, Assessor & Collector.  
November 20, 1838. 51w6  
**NOTICE.**  
THOMAS W. POUND having purchased the interest of E. L. Bramblet, in the firm of P. S. Caffry & Co., the business will hereafter be conducted by CAFFRY & POUND, who are authorized to settle the business of the firm of P. S. Caffry & Co.  
P. S. CAFFRY, E. L. BRAMBLET.  
Liberty, Dec. 13, 1838. 51w3  
**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, WILKINSON COUNTY.**  
Probate Court—December Term, 1838.  
To all persons interested in the lands, tenements, and hereditaments of Elizabeth Hatfield, deceased—GREETING:  
YOU are hereby commanded to be and appear before the Honorable the Probate court of said county, at the next February Term thereof, then and there to shew cause if any you have or can, why an order of sale of the following real estate of said deceased should not be made, viz:—The north west quarter of section thirty-eight, in township two, of range one east, containing one hundred and fifty-five acres and 58 100 acres, more or less.  
WITNESS the Honorable Nathaniel Scudder, Judge of Probate of the county of Wilkinson, the 2d Monday in December, 1838.  
Issued 13th December, 1838.  
JOHN C. ALEXANDER, Clerk.  
By T. W. HAYS, Dep. Cl'k.  
December 15, 1838. 51w6  
**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, WILKINSON COUNTY.**  
Probate Court—December Term, 1838.  
To all persons interested in the lands, tenements and hereditaments of C. B. Magoun, deceased—GREETING:  
YOU are hereby commanded to be and appear before the honorable the Probate court of said county, at the next February Term thereof, and shew cause, if any you can, why an order should not be made directing the sale of the following real estate of said deceased, viz:—Lots number s.xteen, eighteen, nineteen and twenty, in the town of Woodville, lying on the west side of Hopewell alley;—Also, one other lot adjoining the above on the west side thereof, and bounded south by a lot formerly the property of G. B. Collier, now of J. S. Lewis, west by lands of Dr. Holt, east by the lots above mentioned, containing one acre and two roods, more or less;—Also the south west quarter of quarter section twenty-four, township two, of range two west, containing forty-one acres and 8-100 acres, more or less.  
WITNESS the honorable Nathaniel Scudder, Judge of the Probate court of the county of Wilkinson, the 2d Monday in December, A. D. 1838.  
Issued 13th December, 1838.  
JOHN C. ALEXANDER, Clerk.  
By T. W. HAYS, Dep. Cl'k.  
December 15, 1838. 51w6  
**NOTICE—EXTRA.**  
ALL persons indebted to SHULER & TRAVIS of WM. TRAVIS, on Note or Account originating from the sale of goods or property in Liberty, are hereby forbidden to pay any part to Wm. Travis, as we hold a deed of trust on all such property, since the first day of January, 1837,—books, notes, accounts, &c. All demands due previously were the individual property of AMASA SMITH. We have the books now in our possession, ready for settlement.  
JOSEPH SMITH & CO. Trustees of Shuler & Travis.  
N. B.—Said Travis, according to the best information we can get, has received from the sale of property and collections from said books and notes, about \$9,000, and refuses to pay any part of our demands against said Shuler & Travis, and not satisfied, wishes now to get the balance due into his pocket.  
J. S. & CO.  
December 13, 1838. 50w3  
**BLANKS**  
Of every description, neatly executed at this Office.  
Nov. 28, 1838. 48w4

**H. P. POSTLETHWAITE & CO.**  
Commerce St., in rear of the Agricultural Bank, NATCHEZ.  
KEEP always on hand, a large and well selected assortment of GROCERIES, AND UP-COUNTRY PRODUCE:  
to which they are making frequent additions and design in future to keep, FRENCH BLANKETS, KENTUCKY LINSEY'S AND JEANS, NEGRO SHOES, LOWELL COTTONS, TOBACCO, &c.  
They have now on hand 30 quarter casks choice old MADEIRA WINE, of their own importation.  
They have ample Cotton Sheds for the convenience of their friends, and will be always in the COTTON MARKET AT CURRENT PRICES, or will ship for such of their customers as may desire it, to any American or European market.  
November 13, 1838. 50m12  
**G. W. THRIFT**  
TAKES pleasure of informing his friends and the public generally, that he has opened a general Grocery and Produce Store, ON THE CORNER OF FRANKLIN AND LOCUST STREETS, OPPOSITE THE JEFFERSON HOTEL, NATCHEZ.  
He has now on hand and will constantly keep, in addition to the above, NEGRO CLOTHING, BLANKETS, HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES, &c.  
Just received the above mentioned articles from the Northern cities, which will enable him to sell low for Cash.  
November 13, 1838. 50m12  
**FRESH ARRIVAL.**  
BACON & MCKNIGHT have just received their second Fall and Winter supply of Goods, and are now opening them. Their assortment consists, in part, of the following articles, viz:  
Staple and Fancy DRY GOODS, DOMESTICS, HARDWARE, CUTLERY, SADDLERY, AND CROCKERY; Also, a large assortment of WINTER CLOTHING Of the most fashionable quality.  
They also have on hand a large assortment of BOOTS, SHOES, &c.  
In addition to the above, they have a fine supply of NEGRO KERSEYS and LINSEYS, BLANKETS, &c.  
Their friends and customers are requested to call and examine their stock.  
Liberty, Dec. 6, 1838. 49  
**RECEIVED.**  
AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS:  
20 bags Coffee,  
20 bbls. Sugar, old;  
4 do. Loaf, do.,  
20 boxes Spermacandles,  
30 do. No. 1 Soap,  
Whole and half bbls. No. 1 and 2 Mackerel,  
50 sacks coarse and fine Salt,  
3 tierces Rice,  
Bagging, Rope and Twine,  
200 No. 1 and 2 Ploughs, iron mould boards,  
300 sacks Petit Gulf Cotton Seed,  
Superior Wines and Liquors,  
50,000 feet Poplar Weather Boarding,  
50,000 feet two inch White Pine Plank.  
N. B.—The highest prices will be given for Cotton, and we will advance two thirds Cash on all Cotton shipped to our order.  
B. MARSHALL & CO.  
Bayou Sarah, Nov. 24, 1838. 49w4 [Louisiana Chronicle.]  
**MASONIC.**  
THE LIBERTY LODGE, NO. 37, will celebrate the Anniversary of St. John, the Evangelist, on the 27th of December next. The neighboring Lodges, and all transient brethren are invited to attend at our Lodge room, at 10 o'clock on said day.  
By order of said Lodge,  
T. W. POUND,  
W. C. HARRELL,  
DAVID JEWETT,  
O. W. CAULFELD,  
W. D. SMITH,  
Committee of Arrangements.  
Liberty, Nov. 28, 1838. 48w1  
**NOTICE.**  
ALL persons are notified not to pay any Note or Account due or to become due to the late Firm of SHULER & TRAVIS to Amasa Smith, unless specially endorsed by us to said Smith, since he without any authority has got the Books in his possession without my permission.  
WM. TRAVIS, of the late Firm of SHULER & TRAVIS.  
Nov. 28, 1838. 48w4

**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, AMITE COUNTY.**  
To all persons interested in the Real Estate of Tyson Wilkinson, deceased—GREETING:  
YOU are hereby cited to be and appear before the Probate Court of Amite county, on the 4th Monday of January next, and shew cause, if any you can, why an order should not then and there be made, authorizing and directing the administrator of said deceased to sell the following real estate, belonging to the same, viz: The South East Quarter of North West Quarter of Section 21, Township 5, Range 6, East. Also, the North West Quarter of North West Quarter of Section 21, Township 5, Range 6, East. Also, North East Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section 21, Township 5, Range 6, east; or so much thereof as the administrator may deem sufficient to pay the debts, on the day of Sale.  
WITNESS the Hon. JOHN WALKER, Judge of Probate of Amite County, at the Court House thereof, the 4th Monday of November, A. D. 1838.  
Issued 28th November, 1838.  
S. R. DAVIS, Cl'k.  
Nov. 29, 1838. 48w6  
**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, AMITE COUNTY.**  
To all persons interested in the Real Estate of Angus Wilkinson, deceased—GREETING:  
YOU are hereby cited to be and appear before the Probate Court of said County on the 4th Monday in January next, and shew cause, if any you can, why an order should not then and there be made, authorizing and directing the administratrix of said deceased, to sell the following Real Estate belonging to the same, viz: The South West Quarter of Section 32, Township four, of Range four East; containing 158 85-100 acres.  
WITNESS JOHN WALKER, Esq., Judge of the Probate Court of Amite County, at the Court House thereof, the 4th Monday of Nov. A. D. 1838.  
Issued 28th November, 1838.  
S. R. DAVIS, Clerk.  
Nov. 29, 1838. 48w6  
**NOTICE.**  
IN pursuance of an order of the Hon. Probate Court of Amite county, granted at the November term, 1838, we will sell to the highest bidder, on a credit of twelve months, on Saturday the 12th day of January, 1839, the following described lands, belonging to the estate of William Morgan, deceased, to wit:—The West half of the South East Quarter of Section No. 35, in Township No. 1, of Range No. 3, east; and the South West Quarter of Section No. 35, in Township No. 1, of Range No. 3, east; said lands lying in Amite county.—Together with all the personal property of the deceased, on a credit of six months, consisting in part of a set of Blacksmith's Tools, Horses, a Waggon, and Farming Utensils, &c. Sale to take place at the late residence of William Morgan, deceased.  
WILEY MORGAN, ELIZABETH MORGAN, Executors.  
Nov. 29, 1838. 48  
**NOTICE.**  
BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Amite county, and by the powers vested in us by the will of HENRY R. EVERETT, deceased, we will sell, on Saturday, the 5th day of January, 1839, at the late residence of Henry R. Everett, on a credit of nine months, at public auction, from twelve to fifteen likely Negroes, or probably more. Sale in usual hours.  
V. T. CRAWFORD, ELIZABETH EVERETT, Executors.  
Nov. 28, 1838. 48w4  
**NOTICE.**  
BY virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Amite County, I will sell at the late residence of DAVID KENNEBREW, deceased, at public auction, on a credit of twelve months, the following Lands, belonging to the Estate of the late David Kennebrew, to-wit: North East Quarter of Section 27; Township 1, of Range 2, East. Also, the Tract of Land on which the Testator died seized; lying in Amite County. Sale to take place on Thursday the third day of January, 1839.  
SARAH KENNEBREW, Adm'r. with the Will annexed.  
Nov. 28, 1838. 48w5  
**NOTICE.**  
LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned at the November Term, 1838, on the Estate of REASON ROBINSON, deceased—All persons having claims against said Estate will present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.  
TIMOTHY M. ROGERS, DAVID JACKSON, Administrators.  
Nov. 28, 1838. 48m6

**NOTICE.**  
ON petition of the Heirs of LEWIS PERKINS, deceased, and by a decree of the Probate Court of Amite County, we will sell on a credit of one and two years, at the late residence of Lewis Perkins, deceased, to the highest bidder, the following Tracts of Land. Lots No. 5 and 6, of Section 39; Township No. 1, Range 3, East. Also, Fractional Section 48; Township 1, Range 3, East. Also, Lot or Section 47; Township 1, Range 3, East; being a pre-emption. Also, all the perishable property of the intestate. Sale to take place on Monday the 14th day of January, 1839.  
JAMES PERKINS, LEWIS PERKINS, Jr. Administrators.  
Nov. 28, 1838. 48w5  
**NOTICE.**  
LETTERS of Administration, with the will annexed, having been granted to the undersigned, at the November term, 1838, of the Probate Court of Amite county, on the estate of JOHN B. ANDERSON, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate, will present them duly authenticated according to law, or they will be forever barred.  
J. J. GRAVES, D. F. ANDERSON, Adm'rs. with the will annexed.  
Nov. 29, 1838. 48-6m  
**NOTICE.**  
LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned at the November Term, 1838, on the Estate of WM. S. MCKOY, all persons having claims against said Estate will present them duly authenticated according to law, or they will be forever barred.  
WM. MCKOY, Adm'r.  
Nov. 28, 1838. 48m6  
**NOTICE.**  
LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned at the October term, 1838, of Amite Probate court, on the will of HENRY R. EVERETT, deceased, all persons having claims against the estate of said Everett, will present them within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred.  
V. T. CRAWFORD, ELIZABETH EVERETT, Executors.  
November 28, 1838. 48-6m  
**NOTICE.**  
BY virtue of the powers vested in us by the last will of ROBERT MONTGOMERY, and by a decree of the Probate Court of Amite county, we will sell, on a credit of one and two years, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said Montgomery, on Friday the 11th of January, 1839, all the real estate of said Montgomery,—it being North East Quarter of Section 11, Township 2, Range 5, East, and North West Quarter of Section 11, Township 2, Range 5, East; also, South West Quarter of South East Quarter of Section 2, Township 2, Range 5, East, and West half of South East Quarter of Section 11, Township 2, Range 5, East.  
ALSO,  
At the same time and place, all the Slaves, amounting in number to twenty; together with  
A New Waggon, Blacksmith's Tools, and  
Three Yoke of Oxen.  
The last named property will be sold on a credit of twelve months.  
V. T. CRAWFORD, EDW. CARROLL, Executors.  
Nov. 29, 1838. 48w5  
**RUNAWAY COMMITTED.**  
WAS committed to the Jail of Pike County, Mississippi, on the 9th day of June, a negro man who says that his name is JOHN, and belongs to Mr. Harry Young, of Ala. Said negro was taken up by the Citizens of Holmesville, and committed by T. D. Padelford, Esq., a Justice of the Peace, of said County. Said negro is thirty-five years of age—five feet, five and a half inches high—dark complexion—has a scar on the right arm, looks as if it was done with a knife, and one on his left, caused by a burn—he is considerably scared with the whip—four of his upper teeth are out—had on when committed, a casinet coat—checked shirt—corderoy pants, and a broad brim drab hat. The owner of said negro is requested to come forward and comply with the requisitions of the law and take him away.  
W. H. GIBSON, Sheriff of Pike C'ty  
Holmesville, July 4, 1838. 27  
THE above Negro will be sold to the highest bidder for CASH, at the Court House door in Holmesville, on the 24th day of December next, to pay Jail fees, &c.  
W. H. GIBSON, Sh'ff.  
Holmesville, Nov. 22, 1838. 48ds [Printer's Fee, \$40.]